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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
YOICHI SONOBE) : Examiner: B. Goldberg
Appln. No.: 10/670,189) : Group Art Unit: 2861
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Official Action dated February 9, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entry of this amendment to amend the above-identified application as follows.